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In re Application of:

Leonid GRIGORIAN, *et al.*

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OF SINGLE-WALL CARBON NANOTUBES

Group Art Unit: 1754

Examiner: P. Lish

Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

In response to the non-final Office Action dated February 10, 2003, Applicants request reconsideration of this application in view of the following amendment and remarks.

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TRANSMITTAL FORM

1. Transmitted herewith is an Amendment and Response to the Office Action dated February 10, 2003.

2. Extension of Time

The proceedings herein are for a patent application and the provisions of 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a) apply.

☒ Applicant believes that no extension of time is required. However, this conditional petition is being made to provide for the possibility that applicant has inadvertently overlooked the need for a petition and fee for extension of time.

☐ Applicant petitions for an extension of time, the fees for which are set out in 37 CFR § 1.17(a), for the total number of months checked below:

<u>Total Months</u> <u>Requested</u>	<u>Fee for</u> <u>Extension</u>	<u>[Fee for Small</u> <u>Entity]</u>
<input type="checkbox"/> one month	\$ 110.00	\$ 55.00
<input type="checkbox"/> two months	\$ 400.00	\$200.00
<input type="checkbox"/> three months	\$ 920.00	\$460.00
<input type="checkbox"/> four months	\$1,440.00	\$720.00

Extension of time fee due with this request: \$ ____

If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a Petition therefor.

☐ An extension for __ months has already been secured and the fee paid therefor of \$ _____ is deducted from the total fee due for the total months of extension now requested.

3. Fee Calculation (37 C.F.R. §1.16)

CLAIMS AS AMENDED						
	Claims Remaining After Amendment		Highest No. Previously Paid	Present Extra	at Rate of	Total Fees
Total Claims (37 C.F.R. §1.16(c))	18	minus	20	0	x \$18 each=	+ \$ 0
Independent Claims (37 C.F.R. §1.16(b))	3	minus	3	0	x \$80 each=	+ \$ 0
<input type="checkbox"/> First presentation of Multiple dependent claim(s)						+ \$ 0
SUB-TOTAL =						\$ 0
Reduction by ½ for filing by a small entity						- \$ 0
TOTAL FEE =						\$ 0

4. Fee Payment

☒ No fee is to be paid at this time.

☒ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required, including fees due under 37 CFR §§ 1.16 and 1.17 for the additional claim or otherwise, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account 50-0310.

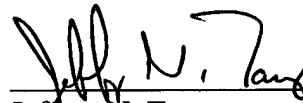
5. Constructive Petition

[x] **EXCEPT** for issue fees payable under 37 C.F.R. § 1.18, the Commissioner is hereby authorized by this paper to charge any additional fees during the entire pendency of this application including fees due under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16 and 1.17 which may be required, including any required extension of time fees, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account 50-0310. This paragraph is intended to be a **CONSTRUCTIVE PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME** in accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a)(3).

Respectfully submitted,

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